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Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 12:33 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: RE: FW: Sarasota Deadliest Catch Charity dinner

incl their Oct 27_29 tour?

"Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov> wrote:

> I will be sending a "tentative calendar" to you shortly and it will have the Oct. 14 (Sun.) request from the 'deadliest catch group." This would be going to Unalaska (Dutch Harbor). Janice
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> **Sent:** Wednesday, October 03, 2007 11:59 AM
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941-926-1062
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941-266-8461 Cell

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Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 12:18 PM
To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Balash; Joseph R (GOV)
Cc: Devon; Shannon L (GOV)
Subject: Re: FW: Press Release - Olson Comments on Palin's PPT Plan

Pretty darn good, eh? It's about as good as we could ask for right now.

"Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov> wrote:

From: Will Vandergriff [mailto:Will_Vandergriff@legis.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 12:07 PM
Subject: Press Release - Olson Comments on Palin's PPT Plan

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: Oct. 3, 2007 **CONTACT: Konrad Jackson, (907) 283-2690**

Staff to Rep. Kurt Olson

Olson Comments on Palin's PPT Plan

Oil & Gas Committee First Referral in the House, Chairman Looks Forward to Upcoming Debate

(Soldotna) – Representative Kurt Olson (R-Soldotna) today said he and his staff are reviewing the work draft of the proposed changes to the Petroleum Production Tax (PPT) released Monday by Governor Sarah Palin.

"I certainly appreciate all the time and effort Governor Palin and her staff have put into this work draft," Olson said. "Since we don't know whether this will be the version introduced on the first day of the upcoming special session, we will be reviewing the draft on a conceptual basis.

"As Chair of the House Oil & Gas Committee, I have been working with the Administration since August and anticipate that we can maximize the return to the people of Alaska without killing the golden goose. If the final draft does not fix the inequities recently exploited by British Petroleum, passage of SB 80 becomes critical."

Senate Bill 80 is legislation crafted by Sen. Tom Wagoner (R-Kenai) to prevent BP PLC, and other producers from counting neglected or improper maintenance against their PPT tax credits.

Olson is traveling out of state and will return prior to the Special Session.

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Will Vandergriff
House Majority Press Secretary
(907) 269-0167 direct
(907) 229-6617 cell
will_vandergriff@legis.state.ak.us

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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 11:36 AM
To: Fradley; Tara D (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: Fwd: St Paul Fisheries Meeting - today, Wed. 10.03.07

T - would you print off before my fisheries mtgs thanks

Note: forwarded message attached.

Attachments:

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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 11:45 AM
To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV)
Subject: Re: FW: Performance Based Teacher Preparation Program

we need to decide if we're continuing with the (seemingly) unpopular teacher cash incentive program that previous administration adopted.

"Smith, Lynne M (GOV)" <lynne.smith@alaska.gov> wrote:

> This is the invitation that I was referring to on the phone call with NEA. Governor, I am forwarding it to Janice so she can put it on your schedule as an FYI.
>
> Lynne
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: Jess And Shirley Holloway [mailto:hollowayassoc@gci.net]
> Sent: Sunday, September 30, 2007 1:27 PM
> To: Smith, Lynne M (GOV)
> Cc: Thompson, Barbara A (EED)
> Subject: Performance Based Teacher Preparation Program
>
> Hello Lynne,
>
> I hope this e-mail finds you doing well.
>
> I am working on a project that is being backed by Shell Oil. They identified five school districts where they want to develop a relationship over a period of time and do something workwhile in the area of education. The five school districts are
> North Slope, Northwest Arctic, Lk and Penn, Bristol Bay and Aleutions East. We recently went to each community and visited with folks to discuss how Shell might support them in three areas:
> Heritage Language
> Math/Science Education
> Increasing home grown teachers to reduce turnover
>
> Of course, other needs were identified and they are being placed on the list of proposals to Shell.
>
> One issue that was supported by all districts was in the area of growing our own teachers from the local teacher aide population.
>
> On November 6, with representation from the five school districts and folks from the colleges, universities and DOE, we will launch the design team for a performance based teacher preparation program that gives

credit for prior learning, is standards based and provided through a partnership of the school districts and universities.

I would like to invite you to attend this first meeting so you can gain an understanding of what we are trying to do and hopefully gain your support this effort. It is going to need top down and bottom up support. We have the bottom up but getting the top down has historically been more difficult.

So, we are launching this effort on Nov 6 at the Captain Cook from 1 to 5 and we would be so pleased if you were able to attend. I would be happy to discuss this with you in more detail. I hope you can fit this into your very busy schedule.

Warmest Regards,
Shirley

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [janice.mason@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:20 AM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:02 AM

To: rdoig@gci.com

Subject: RE: Other

Mr. Doig:

Thank you for your email, I will forward it to the Governor.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 6:21 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Russ Doig

address: 12401 Beachcomber Dr. Anchorage AK 99515

907 677-2757

MESSAGE:

Thank you very much for the very nice note regarding my mothers passing. I appreciate it.rnThanks,rnRuss

rdoig@gci.com

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [janice.mason@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:20 AM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Subject: FW: Elections

-----Original Message-----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:01 AM

To: rvd435@yahoo.com

Subject: RE: Elections

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 7:31 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Elections

Web mail from: Mr. Paul Harnkijroong

address: 5944 gates ave Ridgwood NY 11385

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor PalinrnrnIi'll keep it short and sweet. My name is Paul, I am a Mike Huckabee Supporter. I'd like to ask if you would endorse his cadidacy for president? rnrnrnPaul

rvd435@yahoo.com

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:13 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: St Paul Fisheries Meeting - today, Wed. 10.03.07

Are they only available late in afternoon?

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 03 Oct 2007 10:05:23

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc:"Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: St Paul Fisheries Meeting - today, Wed. 10.03.07

Governor -

The St. Paul Fisheries Folks (5) are in Anchorage and would like to meet with you this afternoon. Commissioner Lloyd would be available and if we do the meeting after 4:00 p.m. Cora would be in ANC also. Please let me know if you would like this set for after 4:00 p.m. or before. Briefing was emailed to Kris concerning this meeting. I have attached it to this email also. Thanks, Janice

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:04 AM
To: lenard.johnson@us.army.mil
Subject: RE: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

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Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 1:53 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Web mail from: Mr. lenard johnson

address: 9414 Ayaginar dr Bethel AK 99559

907 543-2848

MESSAGE:

Ma'am,rnI am SFC Johnson, Lenard L. I am currently deploied in Kuwait with the 3-297th IN Battallon. I have a problem. I was court martialed on 15 June 07. I was found NOT GUILT. Two day after the trail I was set-up by my comander CPT Fode and now I am being court martial again. I will "moer than likely win again". My problem is. The Battalon fly back to Mississippi on 10 October, I have to stay back here in country until after the court martial which I am told wont be until sometime in November. I need to get back home to my family. HELP! Please have someone contact me and I can give them all the details.rnThank You,rnSFC Johnson

lenard.johnson@us.army.mil

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 9:44 AM
To: Bailey; Frank T (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: Council?

Nah - no questions - just a Thank You.

Janice- pls note I'm now leaving the DMV meeting, and the Alaska MidWives Convention that also happened to be held at the Marriott - I invited myself and they were very cool.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Bailey, Frank T (GOV)" <frank.bailey@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 03 Oct 2007 08:50:21

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc:"Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Council?

Governor,

Do you want to open it up for questions at the Council stop tomorrow? Or just 'thank you for your work on these important issues' and shake some hands? Eric Olson said they'll go whichever way you like.

I'll have some points for you in a thank-you if you choose to use them. Privileged or Personal I

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Director, Boards and Commissions

Office of Governor Sarah Palin

907-269-7450

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From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 9:10 AM
To: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Re: Dps

Ugh!!! He also blamed us in his speech fot things like his arena's roof repair, "state roads WE have to maintain", etc.

----- Original Message -----

From: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)

To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Wed Oct 03 08:59:09 2007

Subject: RE: Dps

OK thanks, I will talk to Karen. Did you see how Begich is requesting an additional 20 new officers in his budget? Interesting move on his part, knowing that 20 officers will have a significant impact the DA's, defense attorney (who are already requesting $2 million), courts and prison beds. The article states that the Mayor's budget calls on the state to pay for projects such as $2 million for the Anchorage Golf Course and $4.4 million for the Anchorage Museum. I guess he did not learn his lesson the first time.

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Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 8:42 AM

To: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)

Subject: Re: Dps

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To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: HELLO

D&A is on this week's hit list....should have something by tomorrow. Sorry taken so long.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)" <govpalin@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 03 Oct 2007 07:55:04

To:ftb907@yahoo.com

Cc:"Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Fw: HELLO

Anything new on Amy's appt on drug and alcohol?

----- Original Message -----

From: McCorkell, Amy B (DOA)

To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Wed Oct 03 07:52:51 2007

Subject: HELLO

Hi Sarah!

How are you?

I saw Deb at city hall when I went to vote yesterday, she said she saw you too, said you were thinking of having a get together next week, sounds good! I would love to see us all -- just let me know!

I am sure you are busy, me too, been in trial this week and probably next week too. ugh! I am working a flex schedule, 3 10 hour days mon - wed and thursday a 7.5 and off on

Friday.

I still haven't heard anything about the drug and alcohol committee, maybe they nixed me.....?

Take care, love you lots, you are a great gov. I am so proud of you!

Amy

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Subject: RE: Other

pls check definitively on it with Linda.

i know anything i say publicly can be repeated on-air at any time...

"Leschper, Beth (GOV)" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov> wrote:

> Governor:
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> Beth
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> -----Original Message-----
> From: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
> Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 11:17 AM
> To: ExternalEmailgsp
> Cc: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Leschper, Beth (GOV)
> Subject: FW: Other
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> Something that may be considered - Janice
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> Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:32 AM
> To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
> Subject: Other
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> Web mail from: Mr. Jeremy Hegna
> address: 10645 washington circle Anchorage AK 99515
> (907)227-1591
>
> MESSAGE:
> Madam Governor,rnrnYou poked your head into my studio yesterday at the Fox (The Classic Rock Station) as I was putting together some voice tracking...You were heading into an on-air interview on KENI with Mike Porcarro.rnrnYou said a couple of words that got me thinkin...you said "The Fox Rocks!" rnrnIt sounded cool...you saying our mission statement, and got me wondering...Would the Governor be willing to drop in some voice work for us to use on the station on a regular basis? Kind of like our big voice guy that says "one hundred point five

the Fox rocks Alaska" between records. I think it would be very
cool and extremely local for you to do some of the voice work on our
station. I am not sure what would be legal compensation for you to do
some voicing...but I we could figure that out if you are intrested. I
just envision you stopping by the studios for 10-15 minutes and cutting
8 or 10 quick sentences. Certainly the main tag lines for the station
which woul
d be re-usable indefinitely. Let me know if this would be cool for you
to pull off and if you have a chance in your busy schedule. I could
also arrange to put this together anytime you are already here for a
visit with Rydell or Porcarro...whatever is most convenient.rnrnThanks
for your consideration and the excellent work you are doing for our
State. My family and I appreciate it!rnrnTake care,rnrnJeremy Hegna
(Program Director KBFX)rn227-1591rnjeremyhegna@clearchannel.com or
akdj@mac.com

jeremyhegna@clearchannel.com
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Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Re: Schedule - OCTOBER

Sorry - I didn't know anyone was waiting on me for these travel dates. Is there a way I can see the tentative schedules so I don't keep people waiting so long?

First, I"ll have to go through the NY travel sched. as I thought it was already a done deal and the tickets were purchased for my dep. and arr. dates/times. For some reason I thought I was flying through the night to get to NY by morning.

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Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 12:16 AM
To: Lloyd; Denby S (DFG)
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Crome; Cora J (GOV)
Subject: Re: Letter to North Pacific Council

Thanks Denby. I'll read it and comment in the AM. Thank you

----- Original Message -----

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To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Cc: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Crome, Cora J (GOV)

Sent: Wed Oct 03 00:12:42 2007

Subject: Letter to North Pacific Council

Governor:

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Thank you, DL.

Denby S. Lloyd

Commissioner

Alaska Department of Fish and Game

P.O. Box 115526

Juneau, AK 99811-5526

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Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 12:56 PM
To: Cayce; Sunny C (GOV)
Subject: FW: GMD (Ground-based Midcourse Defense) Flight Test Update

Importance: High

-----Original Message-----

From: Romer, Richard H [mailto:richard.h.romer@boeing.com]

Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 11:50 AM

To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV); Parnell, Sean R (GOV); Mayor@ci.anchorage.ak.us; Dahlstrom, Nancy (LAA); Wielechowski, Bill (LAA); Coghill, John (LAA); Lynn, Bob (LAA); Roses, Bob (LAA); Doll, Andrea (LAA); Harris, John (LAA); Huggins, Charlie (LAA); Davis, Bettye J (LAA); Kookesh, Albert (LAA); Wilken, Gary R (LAA); info@anchoragechamber.org; wstevens@alaskachamber.com; bellis@institutenorth.org; info@commonwealthnorth.org; alaskaoffice@murkowski.senate.gov; Catherine.petty@mail.house.gov; jim_egan@stevens.senate.gov

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All:

Many of you may have already heard about the recent GMD flight test, however, I've attached two press releases on the recently successful U.S. Missile Defense Agency and the Boeing lead Industry team GMD flight test conducted on September 28, 2007. This test is the seventh intercept for the GMD system and demonstrated the capabilities of America's only operational long-range ballistic missile defense system.

Thank you for your continued support of Alaska's missile defense program, and please enjoy this great news with us.

Best Regards,

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 6:02 PM
To: Balash; Joseph R (GOV)
Subject: Re: PRESS RELEASE -- PUBLIC INVITED TO DISCUSS OIL TAXES,SPECIALSESSION

No kidding!!! I got it and it was funny.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

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From: "Balash, Joseph R (GOV)" <joe.balash@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 03 Oct 2007 18:01:13

To:ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: PRESS RELEASE -- PUBLIC INVITED TO DISCUSS OIL TAXES,SPECIALSESSION

sorry...poor attempt at humor. they have the same last name.

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Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 11:40 AM
To: Sarah Palin; Fradley; Tara D (GOV)
Subject: RE: St Paul Fisheries Meeting - today, Wed. 10.03.07

Governor - Meeting has been set up for 3:00 p.m. for (30 min.). Comm. Lloyd will staff. This is on your calendar.

Tara - Please print off a copy for Comm. Lloyd and he will be up to office at 2:45 p.m. so that he has time to look at the briefing paper. Thank you, Janice

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From: Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 11:36 AM

To: Fradley, Tara D (GOV); Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Subject: Fwd: St Paul Fisheries Meeting - today, Wed. 10.03.07

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Note: forwarded message attached.

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With the expectation that you will spend as much time in Juneau as possible during special session - we will schedule accordingly.

The large pending requests are:

Sunday, October 14 - Invite to Unalaska

Tuesda

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From: Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=EFAGERSTROM]

Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 4:00 PM

To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

Cc: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)

Subject: FYI- :)

Just as an FYI- it couldn't be avoided.. we had a AAA Moving van in the driveway today at about 11:00am. The large Butler's Pantry cabinets had to be moved off site and stored for the plumbing project. Hopefully the two photos of the House plumbing project on the front page of the Jnu Empire will help squash any rumors.

Erika Fagerstrom
Executive Residence Manager
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716 Calhoun Avenue, Juneau, Alaska 99801
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Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 3:46 PM
To: Sarah Palin
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Fabrello; Michelle A (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

We will be preparing a condolence letter. Janice

-----Original Message-----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 3:41 PM

To: Fabrello, Michelle A (GOV); Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 3:37 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Doug Duffett

address: 32 Adak Avenue Fairbanks AK 99701

907-452-1407 ext 112

MESSAGE:

Rep. John Coghill's grandson, JOSEPH GREENE, age 4, died Wedn

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

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To: rdoig@gci.com

Subject: RE: Other

Mr. Doig:

Thank you for your email, I will forward it to the Governor.

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Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 6:21 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Russ Doig

address: 12401 Beachcomber Dr. Anchorage AK 99515

907 677-2757

MESSAGE:

Thank you very much for the very nice note regarding my mothers passing. I apprecia

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Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 9:54 AM
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Subject: FW: Oil&Gas

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To: jstone@courts.state.ny.us

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To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Oil&Gas

Web mail from: Mr. John Stone

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315-682-0625

MESSAGE:

Dear Gov. Palin - Your interview and views expressed on Bloomberg TV on 10/3/07 were so very refreshin

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:20 AM
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Subject: FW: Elections

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:01 AM

To: rvd435@yahoo.com

Subject: RE: Elections

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

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Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 12:32 PM
To: Sarah Palin; Leschper, Beth (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: RE: FW: Sarasota Deadliest Catch Charity dinner

I will be sending a "tentative calendar" to you shortly and it will have the Oct. 14 (Sun.) request from the 'deadliest catch group." This would be going to Unalaska (Dutch Harbor). Janice

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From: Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 11:59 AM

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV); Leschper, Beth (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Subject: Re: FW: Sarasota Deadliest Catch Charity dinner

there's an Oct event in here that we could check into?

"Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov> wrote:

Governor - This request has come in for you to attend

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
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To: Sarah Palin; Leschper, Beth (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: RE: FW: Sarasota Deadliest Catch Charity dinner

Just spoke with Eric Donaldson, Crab Broker (FL) in regards to the Oct. 27-29 crab tour. This item was auctioned off and purchased at price tag of $15,000.00. The dinner raised $44,000 for children's charity. The focus on the Oct. tour is to educate the health of Alaska Fisheries and what Alaska does for sustainability. There will be 50 retailers and Chefs including Germany. Jonathan and Andy (which you have met) with the Time Bandit - Deadliest Catch will be there also. They are first class guys and Alaska should be proud.

On Sat. 10.27 - There will be a tour through the processing ce

Byers, Gail Y (LAW)

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Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2007 10:05 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: St Paul Fisheries Meeting - today, Wed. 10.03.07

Governor -

The St. Paul Fisheries Folks (5) are in Anchorage and would like to meet with you this afternoon. Commissioner Lloyd would be available and if we do the meeting after 4:00 p.m. Cora would be in ANC also. Please let me know if you would like this set for after 4:00 p.m. or before. Briefing was emailed to Kris concerning this meeting. I have attached it to this email also. Thanks, Janice

Attachments:

St Paul Briefing.doc (6023 Bytes)

Saint Paul Letter to Governor Palin (2).pdf (6087 Bytes)

Governor's Briefing for Meeting with St. Paul Island Entities - October 3, 2007

Proposed Attendees:
Heather McCarty, Central Bering Sea Fishermen's Association (CDQ group)
Simeon Swetzof, Mayor of St. Paul
Pat Hardina, representing TDX, the St. Paul Native Corporation
Mateo Paz-Soldan, an attorney working with Central Bering Sea Fishermen's Association and the City of St. Paul

Topics: The representatives of St. Paul want to discuss community protection and custom processing regulations in the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands king and tanner crab fisheries.

Community Protection:

One aspect of the complex regulatory scheme under which crab fisheries are now managed is that a percentage of the crab must be delivered in a Northern port. This ensures that St. Paul will have a significant amount of crab deliveries. This regional delivery requirement is tied to the processor quota, not the harvesting quota. Representatives of St. Paul are concerned that if the percentage of processor quota is reduced, it will reduce the amount of crab landed in St. Paul, since fishermen will be free to deliver anywhere and may choose to deliver somewhere more convenient or with higher prices.

Crab processing is very significant to St. Paul's economy and they rely on that revenue to ensure that their processor remains open for other fisheries. I have told them that we are sympathetic to their concerns for continued viability of their community and are looking for ways to continue historic delivery patterns into St. Paul even if we determine that some reduction in the percentage of processor quota is the best option.

Custom Processing:

St. Paul is also interested in a regulatory change to allow more processing to occur in their community. Currently, they are limited by the processing quota ownership caps. They have proposed "custom processing", which would allow the plant in St. Paul to process more crab as long as they do not own the processing quota. There are also several other communities that have a similar problem and are seeking a similar change. We are in the process of analyzing this proposal at the council. I have told St. Paul that we are willing to consider such a change as long as it is limited in scope so as not to raise concerns about excessive consolidation in the processing sector.

To: The Honorable Sarah Palin
Governor of Alaska
P.O. Box 110001
Juneau, AK 99811-0001

From: Saint Paul Island Entities

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Re: Letter from Saint Paul Island Entities

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April 27, 2007

The Honorable Sarah Palin
Governor of Alaska
P.O. Box 110001
Juneau, AK 99811-0001

Dear Governor Palin:

As representatives of Saint Paul Island's main entities, we are writing to express our concern that the carefully constructed balance between processors, harvesters, and communities in the Bering Sea/Aleutian Islands (BSAI) crab rationalization program, which is necessary to protect the interests of all participants, may be altered in a manner that is harmful to our community. The North Pacific Fishery Management Council (NPFMC or Council) is in the first stage of a planned 18-month review of the program, and is naming a crab advisory committee to consider, among other things, the effects of the 90/10 split between "A" shares which are regionalized and must be delivered to processors owning processor quota in designated regions, and "B" shares which can be delivered anywhere.[1]

For various reasons, specified in greater detail below, Saint Paul's economy is almost entirely dependent on crab processing. As a result, negative impacts to the processing sector impact the community's economic base and other dependent businesses. Although crab stocks continue to be low, the rationalization program has ensured that some level of economic activity derived from this fishery has remained on Saint Paul and in the northern BSAI crab region. We therefore urge that the program, which is only 18 months old, be given an opportunity to work.

We would also like to take advantage of this opportunity to extend to you an invitation to visit our historic community and the rich marine wildlife that characterizes the Pribilof Islands.

I. The Transition from Fur Sealing to Fishing on the Pribilof Islands:

For over a century, Saint Paul was not allowed to develop a commercial fishing industry due to the exclusive federal management of the commercial fur seal harvest.[2]

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1 The program summary included in the "Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands Crab Rationalization Program Report, Fishing Year 2005/06, prepared by NMFS (12/14/06) provides a valuable overview of the main elements of the program on pages 1-9. The report may be accessed at: http://www.fakr.noaa.gov/sustainablefisheries/crab/rat/rpt/2005crabreport.pdf.

2 The Pribilof Islands have a unique history due to the fact that until 1983 the Islands were administered by the U.S. Department of Commerce for the exclusive purpose of harvesting fur seal pelts. No other commercial (i.e. fishing) activities were allowed by federal administrators out of concern that it would impact the commercial fur seal harvest. The Native Aleut residents on both Saint Paul and Saint George Islands were employed in this commercial operation which was inherited by the U.S. Government when it purchased the Alaska territory from the Russian Empire in 1867. In fact, historians note that it was the valuable Pribilof fur seal operation that spurred

Then, in 1983, the U.S. Congress directed that the federal government's fur sealing operations be phased out. With fisheries being the only viable alternative to fur sealing on the Pribilofs, the community scrambled to develop the necessary fisheries-related infrastructure in the late 80's and early 90's with the support of the U.S. Congress and the State of Alaska.[3] The first stage of the Saint Paul Harbor was completed on August 4, 1990, at a cost of $32,332,600. In addition, the community indebted itself with millions of dollars to upgrade infrastructure and build facilities that would support the development of a fisheries-based economy such as a fuel farm, a power plant, water storage facilities, a landfill, and other utility upgrades.

The 1981 collapse of the Bering Sea king crab fishery and the need by harvesters and processors to diversify from king crab into opilio crab provided Saint Paul with the opportunity to enter a major fishery. The Bering Sea crab fishing industry took advantage of Saint Paul's harbor and the community's considerable investments in fisheries-related infrastructure to initiate shore-side landings, processing, and vessel support services for the fleet. Saint Paul's proximity to the opilio crab grounds with the associated benefits of reduced fuel costs, time, deadloss, and safety risks, plus its fresh water reserves, its airport, and other support services, were extremely valuable to a non-rationalized derby-style fishery. The first significant opilio landings in the harbor occurred in 1993 at the Unisea barge followed in 1995 at the Trident shore plant. The processing and harvesting sectors clearly benefited from their relationship with Saint Paul and the considerable public and private investment on the Island. The community and the State also benefited.[4] As a result, in the late 90's, Saint Paul was, after Unalaska, the largest generator of fisheries business tax in the State of Alaska.

III. <u>The Impacts of the Collapse of the Opilio Crab Fishery on Saint Paul</u>:

In 1999, when the Alaska Department of Fish & Game (ADF&G) announced a significant reduction in the Guideline Harvest Level (GHL) for opilio crab from approximately 192 million lbs. in 1999 to 28 million lbs. in 2000, our community was forced to take drastic actions. The City receives a portion of the State levied fisheries business tax on all crab delivered and processed by the Island's shoreplants as well as by

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U.S. interest in acquiring Alaska in the first place. Within ten years of the purchase, the fur seal harvest had paid for Alaska's entire cost to the U.S. of $7.5 million. The history of the American operation of the fur seal franchise on the Pribilof Islands and the treatment of the Aleuts through 1947, is documented in <u>Aleut Community of Saint Paul Island v. United States</u>, 42 (Ind. Cl. Comm. 1, 149 (1978)).

[3] A $20 million trust was established pursuant to the 1983 Fur Seal Act Amendments and the federal government and the State of Alaska committed to helping Saint Paul and Saint George build harbors necessary to develop a fisheries-based economy.

[4] For the 1995-1999 period, for example, Saint Paul's market share of the opilio crab harvest averaged 36.1% based upon revenues. See "Economic Impact of Bering Sea Crab Stock Disaster on Saint Paul and the Need for Fisheries Diversification in Years 2000 and Beyond," prepared by Natural Resources Consultants, December 1999.

floating processors stationed within three nautical miles of Saint Paul Island[5]. In addition, the City receives a 3% sales tax on crab delivered to processors inside the Saint Paul Harbor as well as a sales tax on fuel and other supplies sold in the harbor. As a result of the fishery collapse, the total decrease in revenues to the City of Saint Paul in 2004, 2005, and 2006, as compared to 1999, was 84%, 84%, and 86%, respectively. This is almost directly proportional to the 85% decrease in the GHL from 1999 to 2000 and subsequent years. Several major areas of City revenues such as onshore and offshore processing, fuel distribution, harbor services, and local businesses continue to be depressed. These effects are summarized in the chart included as Attachment A.

The decline in revenues experienced by the City is indicative of the declines similarly experienced by privately held businesses in the community. These revenue declines have been felt directly by Saint Paul's 460 residents through loss of jobs, loss of consumers, loss of the community day care facilities, and curtailment in air passenger, cargo and bypass services to the mainland. As of the date of this letter, the City of Saint Paul officially has 38 employees, down from 50 in early 2000. The 2000 Census listed the population at 532; many residents have moved off the Island due to lack of work and opportunities. The departure particularly hurts the long-term viability of the Island as many of those leaving are educated, skilled, and young. The community is now heading into the eighth year of the opilio crab fishery collapse. However, the scenario would have been much worse if Saint Paul had not been protected by the Three Pie concept built into the crab rationalization program.

IV. "Three Pie" and the Benefits of Rationalization for Saint Paul:

As a result of the crisis brought on by the crab collapse our community was forced to make a number of difficult decisions. One of the first steps was to request, as an affected fishing community, that the Secretary of Commerce, under the authority extended to him by Section 312 (a) of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act, declare that a commercial fishery failure had occurred due to a fishery resource disaster. Such determination was made by the Secretary on May 11, 2000, and due to the continued collapse of the opilio crab fishery has been extended by successive notifications from NMFS. This declaration allowed Saint Paul to tap into federal assistance and provided the impetus for proceeding with the development of a rationalization program in the crab fisheries.

On the rationalization front, the community with the support of the State, played a key role in constructing the proper balance among processors, harvesters, and communities, known as "Three Pie." Critical from the community's perspective was that the US Congress, the State of Alaska, and the NPFMC (the Council) recognized that the considerable federal, state, and municipal investments made on Saint Paul that proved invaluable to developing a commercially successful crab fishery in the Bering Sea,

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5 The fish tax is 3% for shorebased facilities and 5% for floaters (see A.S. 43.75.015(a)). The state refunds 50% of the tax collected to cities located in unorganized boroughs and 25% to cities located within organized boroughs (A.S. 43.75.130(a)).

merited protection within the context of rationalization, in a manner similar to that extended to the harvesting and processing sectors.

Congressional approval of the crab rationalization program in January of 2004 set the stage for ending the derby style crab fishery and for the consolidation of harvesting and processing activity in the Bering Sea. As the main port in the designated northern region of the Bering Sea, Saint Paul has benefited from this program, even though crab stocks remain low and the community's revenues are still at 85% of what they were in 1999. While at present only two of the six crab fisheries are open, required deliveries to northern region processors have helped generate revenues of slightly more than $600,000 per year during the last seven years which have helped the City to survive until the stocks return and new fisheries can be developed (see Attachment A).

Moreover, even at low quota levels, the limited crab processing taking place on Saint Paul thanks to rationalization provides the economic basis for the local CDQ and IFQ halibut fishery as the local fishermen have no alternative location to process their halibut. CBSFA contracts with Trident at Saint Paul to custom process the halibut delivered by the local fleet. This fishery is a major source of employment and income for the community - in 2006 it generated income of over $2,400,000. This is significant for a small community. Furthermore, through its CDQ allocations, CBSFA has promoted economic activity by delivering its allocations of Bristol Bay Red King Crab (BBRKC) and Opilio to northern region processors based at St. Paul.

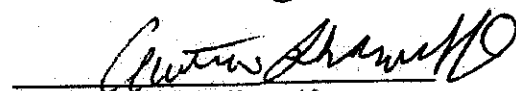
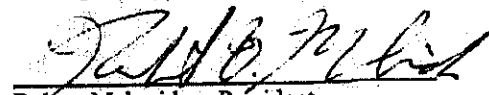
Some 300-400 non-residents work at the shore-based Trident processing facility during the crab season. In addition, transient fishermen who deliver crab are also important to the local economy. These individuals are an important group of consumers and source of business for the Community Store, the Tavern, the Package Store, and the Hardware Store. The local village corporation, TDX, obtains substantial revenue from other related services such as leasing land for freezer vans (crab), sales of fuel, and hotel services, as well as jobs. Businesses such as PenAir, Northland Services, and Delta Fuel are dependent on these flows of people and trade. It is clear that without crab processing, the Island would face economical collapse.

Finally, without crab processing the community would be unable to attract investment in the infrastructure, permitting, and other upgrades necessary to diversify into commercially valuable species such as pollock and cod, and survive in the long term. This would be an unfortunate development given that Saint Paul's greater proximity to the commercial fisheries which are gradually moving into the northern Bering Sea, in addition to high fuel costs, makes the Island an ideal location to support the North Pacific industry.

V. Conclusion:

For the above reasons, the community views with concern challenges to the 90/10 A share/B share split. This is not only a harvester/processor issue, as this split is the basis for labeling quota as either northern or southern region quota and is currently the only protection that Saint Paul has. It is therefore important to maintain a proper balance

between restricted use (regionalized) processor quota shares, which are matched on the harvesting side with regionalized A-shares, and B-shares which do not need to match PQS/IPQ, and are not regionalized. Preliminary Council analyses, moreover, show that there are no significant B-share and C-share landings in the northern region. The level of landings of B-shares and C-shares in Akutan and Dutch Harbor, in the southern region, which are a full 22% higher than those ports' share of A-share landings, illustrate that the northern region is almost completely dependent on the A-share component (90%) in this program.[6]

The community believes that the problems being attributed to the crab rationalization program by some participants in the Council process are being solved and do not require alterations to key elements of the program at this time. In the northern region, these problems have been aggravated by incidents such as the ice events in the harbor during the last two crab seasons and the fire on the Steller Sea processing vessel. All of Saint Paul's entities, however, are working closely with the processing and harvesting sectors, to solve the problems associated with the low crab quotas by allowing for custom processing arrangements that would maximize operational efficiencies for northern region participants. We hope to have this project up and running in time to allow us to process opilio and BBRK crab as well as CDQ and IFQ halibut for the next season.

Governor Palin, we look forward to the opportunity to discuss these issues and our concerns in person with you in Juneau, Anchorage, or on Saint Paul. We would like to meet with you before the next Council meeting, beginning June 4, at which the crab program review will be discussed and potentially acted upon.

We are aware of your personal commitment to healthy and viable rural Alaskan communities and we hope that you understand our perspective regarding this matter. Again, we would be delighted if you decide to accept our invitation to visit our unique community. We look forward to your response.

Sincerely,

Linda Snow, City Manager
City of Saint Paul Island

Anthony Philemonoff, President
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Central Bering Sea Fishermen's Association

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cc: Denby Lloyd, Alaska Department of Fish & Game

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6 "18 Month Review – Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands Crab Management", NPFMC staff analysis, March 2007, page 45, table 16.

ATTACHMENT A

City of Saint Paul Sales and Fish Tax Revenues
(rounded to the nearest thousandth dollar and percentage point)

Revenue Source	1999	2000	2004	2005	2006	Revenue Decline 1999 to 2000	Revenue Decline 1999 to 2004	Revenue Decline 1999 to 2005	Revenue Decline 1999 to 2006
Onshore Processors	782	113	178	191	194	86%	77%	76%	75%
Offshore Processors	1,935	298	272	230	135	85%	86%	88%	93%
Fuel Distributors	85	11	20	28	42	87%	76%	67%	51%
Harbor Services	759	78	69	94	91	90%	91%	88%	88%
Local Businesses	110	60	60	47	45	45%	45%	57%	59%
TOTAL	**3,671**	**560**	**599**	**590**	**507**	**85%**	**84%**	**84%**	**86%**

Although Saint Paul has experienced a dramatic decline in revenues since 1999 resulting from the opilio fishery collapse, the existence of the crab rationalization program has ensured deliveries of crab in northern region ports including Saint Paul.

In the past seven years, these revenues have on average ranged between $500,000 and $600,000 per year providing some relief to the community until the crab stocks return.

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